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A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF MOUNT ARLINGTON, COUNTY OF MORRIS, STATE OF NEW JERSEY, APPOINTING MATTHEW FORTUNATO AS POLICE LIEUTENANT OF THE BOROUGH OF MOUNT ARLINGTON

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Borough of Mount Arlington Code section § 4-14 Police Department, the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Mount Arlington announced that the position of Police Lieutenant is vacant and would be filled; and

WHEREAS, the Borough of Mount Arlington is desirous of appointing a Police Lieutenant who fulfills the requirements of section § 4-14 Police Department, set forth at length below:

§ 4-14. Police Department.

M. Promotions of Police Lieutenant. [Added 12-22-2008 by Ord. No. 21-08] Pursuant to the authority of the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Mount Arlington to establish the position of the Police Lieutenant for the Mount Arlington Police Department, once the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Mount Arlington have certified by resolution that the position of Police Lieutenant is vacant and will be filled, a notice shall be posted on the bulletin board of the Police Headquarters and the Mayor and Council shall implement the procedures contained herein below:

- (1) In order to be considered for the rank of Police Lieutenant the officer must be a member of the Mount Arlington Police Department and hold the rank of Sergeant.
- (2) All candidates for promotion to the rank of Lieutenant must successfully complete a written examination conducted by an outside testing agency (i.e. State Chief's of Police Association).
- (3) All candidates for promotion to the rank of Lieutenant must then successfully complete an oral examination conducted by an outside testing agency (i.e. State Chief's of Police Association).
- (4) A Departmental Evaluation will be completed for each candidate for promotion to the rank of Lieutenant.
- (5) An assessment of Time in Grade will be completed.
- (6) An assessment of Discipline will be completed.
- (7) A tabulation of the Written Examination, Oral Examination, Departmental Evaluation, assessment of Time in Grade and assessment of Discipline will create the final score.
- (8) This process is pursuant to the Mount Arlington Police Department Promotional Process Policy and Procedure as issued by the Chief of Police.
- (9) A probationary period of six (6) months shall be served.

WHEREAS, Sergeant Matthew Fortunato fulfilled all of the requirements set forth in the Borough of Mount Arlington Code section § 4-14 Police Department.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Mount Arlington, County of Morris, State of New Jersey, that Matthew Fortunato shall be appointed to the position of Police Lieutenant effective March 1, 2023.

I HEREBY CERTIFY this to be a true and correct Resolution of the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Mount Arlington, and adopted on March 7, 2023.

Matthew N. Bansch, Borough Clerk